**THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE B. PRAKASH RAO**
**AND**
**THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE RAMESH RANGANATHAN**

**WRIT PETITION No. 16927 of 2005**

**JUDGMENT:** (Per Hon'ble Sri Justsice B. Prakash Rao)

Date: 15.06.2006

Between:

The Government of Andhra Pradesh, rep.,by its Prl. Secretary to Government Agriculture Department, A.P. Secretariat, Hdyerabad and another.

… Petitioners

and

R. Shankar.

… Respondent.

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Heard the learned Government Pleader for Services I and also Sri S. Gopal Rao, learned Counsel for the respondent and at their request the main writ petition itself is taken up for disposal.

The petitioner assails the order dated 14.07.2004 passed in the application in O.A.No. 1652 of 2000 filed by the respondent whereunder the Tribunal directed payment of all the benefits to which he is entitled, in spite of the fact that the enquiry was pending. The learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that since the enquiry pending was on the very question of payment and other benefits payable to the respondent, the order of the Tribunal is not justified in ordering payment of all benefits during the pendency of the enquiry.

Considering the submissions made we are of the opinion that instead of going into the merits, either way it would suffice, in the interest of justice, if a direction is given to complete the enquiry within a period of four months from today and with regards certain benefits as directed by the Tribunal, it is needless to mention that the same would be subject to the ultimate decision taken in the said enquiry.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of.

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B.PRAKASH RAO,J

Date: 15.06.2006 RAMESH RANGANATHAN, J

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